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FOR CIVIL COORDINATOR

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SUBJECT:MULTIPLE POLICY DIRECTIVES.

THE FOLLOWING MEMORANDA WERE DISPATCHED BY THE PRINCIPAL

DEPUTY ASD (C) TO THE OJCS TODAY. CIVIL COORDINATOR

IN CONCERT WITH CAMP COMMANDERS SHOULD BE PREPARED TO

FULLY SUPPORT THE ACTIONS ENUMERATED IN THE MEMORANDA.

QUOTE SUBJECT: REDUCTION OF REFUGEE/EVACUEE POPULATION ON GUAM. THE EXCELLENCE OF THE JCS DIRECTED AIRLIFT EFFORT FOR RELOCATING VIETNAMESE/CAMBODIAN REFUGEES FROM GUAM AND OTHER PACIFIC POINTS TO CONUS IS RECOGNIZED AND DEEPLY APPRECIATED, AS HAS BEEN THE MAGNIFICENT RESPONSE OF PACOM UNITS TO THE INFLUX OF REFUGEES.

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RECENT DECISIONS NECESSITATE ACCELERATED REDUCTION OF THE REFUGEE POPULATION ON GUAM, EXCEEDING THAT CONTEMPLATED IN CURRENT PLANS. THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS ARE REQUESTED:

A. PREPARE, COORDINATE, AND EXECUTE AIRLIFT

SCHEDULES TO REDUCE THE POPULATION ON GUAM TO A LEVEL CAPABLE OF BEING HOUSED IN OTHER THAN TENT QUARTERS NO LATER THAN 24 JUNE. CONCURRENTLY, GUAM TENT CAMPS SHOULD BE DISESTABLISHED. IF NECESSARY, MAXIMUM OBTAINABLE CAPACITY OF ALL NON-TENT SITES ON GUAM SHOULD BE USED. NO SPECIAL TREATMENT OF ANY INDIVIDUALS OR GROUP SHALL BE PROVIDED.

B. AS A PART OF THIS EFFORT, MOVEMENT OF THOSE REFUGEES ON GUAM DESIRING REPATRIATION AND HAVING COMPLETED THE REPATRIATION FORM TO WAKE ISLAND SHOULD BE COMPLETED.

C. IT IS RECOGNIZED THAT THE ACCELERATED REDIRECTION OF GUAM REFUGEE POPULATION MAY REQUIRE WAIVER OF THE CONUS RESETTLEMENT CENTER CEILINGS IMPOSED BY SECDEF. SUCH WAIVERS WILL BE FORMALLY CONSIDERED FOR A SHORT TERM WITH ADVANCE NOTIFICATION TO SECDEF TO LIMITS AS FOLLOWS:
FORT CHAFFEE - 25,000; FORT INDIANTOWN GAP - 17,000;
CAMP PENDLETON - 18,500; EGLIN - 5,000; CONUS TOTAL - 65,500. (SIGNED) ERICH F. VON MARBOD, PRINCIPAL DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY. END OF QUOTE.

QUOTE SUBJECT: VIETNAMESE AND CAMBODIANS DESIRING REPATRIATION.

THE UNITED NATIONS HIGH COMMISSIONER ON REFUGEES HAS CONCURRED WITH THE INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE REQUEST TO CONSOLIDATE THOSE VIETNAMESE AND CAMBODIANS WHO DESIRE REPATRIATION TO THEIR HOMELANDS. IN ACCORDANCE, THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS ARE REQUESTED:

A. ESTABLISH REPATRIATION CENTERS AT CAMP PENDLETON AND WAKE ISLAND. THE FACILITIES SHOULD BE SEPARATED FROM THE OTHER REFUGEES BUT PROVIDE EQUIVALENT TREATMENT.
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B. TRANSFER, AS SOON AS FEASIBLE, ALL REFUGEES IN THE PACIFIC AREA DESIRING REPATRIATION WHO ARE UNDER U.S. CONTROL, AND WHO HAVE COMPLETED THE REPATRIATION FORM, TO THE WAKE CENTER.

C. TRANSFER REFUGEES IN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES DESIRING REPATRIATION, AND WHO HAVE COMPLETED THE

REPATRIATION FORM, TO THE PENDLETON CENTER.
TRANSPORTATION MODE IS AT THE JCS DISCRETION, BUT SHOULD
BE PLANNED FOR COMPLETION BY 20 JUNE.

D. ARRANGE FOR TRANSFER TO THE PENDLETON CENTER
REFUGEES DESIRING TO RETURN WHO ARE IN STUDENT STATUS AT
VARIOUS CONUS MILITARY AND CIVILIAN TRAINING/EDUCATION
LOCATIONS. TRANSPORTATION SHOULD BE CHARGED TO THE FUNDS
EMPLOYED FOR THEIR SPECIFIC TRAINING. SUCH PERSONS MAY
BE TRANSFERRED PRIOR TO UNHCR INTERVIEW AND COMPLATION OF
FORMS.

REQUEST THIU OFFICE BE ADVISED UPON COMPLETION OF
PLANNING. (SIGNED) ERICH F. VON MARBOD, PRINCIPAL
DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY. END OF QUOTE. KISSINGER

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